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**TRANSMITTAL**

SIR:

Transmitted herewith for filing in the above-identified patent application is an  
Amendment.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge the appropriate fees of \$600.00 (which  
includes the additional claim fees of \$600.00 for the three (3) net added independent claims)  
to Deposit Account No. 11-0600, and is also authorized, as appropriate and/or necessary, to  
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**AMENDMENT**

S I R:

In response to the Office Action mailed on October 19, 2005 (the three-month response date for which is January 19, 2006), please reconsider the above-identified application based on the following:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 10 of this paper.

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